

EXPEDITED PROCEDURE – EXAMINING GROUP 3621

S/N 10/082,498

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:	Robert W. Fransdonk	Examiner:	John M. Winter
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Title:	METHOD AND SYSTEM TO PROVIDE SECURE KEY SELECTION USING A SECURE DEVICE IN A WATERCRYPTING ENVIRONMENT		

AMENDMENT & RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116

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In response to the Final Office Action mailed August 11, 2006, please amend the application as follows:

This response is accompanied by a Petition, as well as the appropriate fee, to obtain a three-month extension of the period for responding to the Office action, thereby moving the deadline for response from November 11, 2006 to February 12, 2007.